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(54) **DETERMINING AD TARGETING** INFORMATION AND/OR AD CREATIVE INFORMATION USING PAST SEARCH **QUERIES**

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(57)**ABSTRACT**

Ad information, such as ad targeting keywords and/or ad creative content for example, may be determined using aggregated selected document-to-query information associations. For example, popular terms and/or phrases also associated with a selected document may be used as ad targeting keywords and/or ad creative content for an ad having the document as a landing page. Query information may be tracked on a per document level, a per domain level, etc. The determined ad information may be used to automatically populate an ad record, or may be provided to an advertiser as suggested or recommended ad information.

